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## NEW WATER METERS MUST BE INSTALLED

Price of \$9.55 Each Not to Hold  
Good After Present Supply  
Is Exhausted.

### To Water Consumers:

By the action of the Board of Public Affairs you were duly notified through the Perryburg Journal recently that, beginning on or before July 1st, 1921, all consumers of water within the village must provide themselves with meters; that on and from that date flat rate service will be abolished and water sold only through meters.

The Board has carefully investigated meters and their cost. This investigation shows prices of meters gradually advancing with no indication of a reduction. Therefore, the Board has purchased from the Union Meter Co. fifty (50) meters, which will be sold at actual cost of nine dollars and fifty-five cents (\$9.55) each. This price cannot be secured and will not be guaranteed for the future. The above price was secured only upon ordering the quantity of 50. We may be able to secure 50 more if ordered immediately.

The Union and Thompson meters have been approved by the Board and no other will be allowed except as they may hereafter be approved.

Those who desire to partake of this meter at cost plan may do so by prompt action. The first fifty (50) meters now ordered will be sold to the first fifty consumers who deposit \$9.55 each and furnish the undersigned the necessary information, giving property owner's name, house number and lot number. No other than the Superintendent of Water Works is authorized to install a meter and anyone so doing will be acting in violation of law.

By order of Board of Public Affairs.  
G. B. LOWNSBURY, Clerk.  
Perryburg, Feb. 3, 1920.

### THREE MORE NEW ONES

During the past week the Journal has added three new names to its list, one from Rossford, one from Lime City and one from Perryburg. This makes a total of 123 new names since October 1st.

### UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

Arlie S. Hawkins, Mr. F. Richardson, S. P. Weinbaugh, C. A. Cabe, Otto W. Ebert.

### COMING AUCTIONS

John Koerber, living on South Boundary street in Perryburg, just south of the Fremont pike, will hold a public sale on Tuesday, Feb. 10, commencing at 10 a. m., and will offer a pair of well matched horses and a large number of farming implements. Watch for his advertisement in this paper containing a complete list of all items offered.

Mrs. M. Schramm, living on the Fremont Pike, 2 1-2 miles east of Perryburg and 1 1-2 miles west of Lime City, will hold a public sale on Wednesday, February 18, commencing at 10 a. m., and will offer two head of horses, five head of cattle and a lot of farming implements. Watch this paper for big advertisement containing complete list of items.

### DR. B. KINSLEY DENTIST

Office Hours—8 to 11 a. m.; 1 to 5 p. m. Office upstairs corner Second and Main Streets.  
PERRYSBURG, O.  
Phone Main 14.

### FREDERICK C. AVERILL ATTORNEY

AND COUNSELOR-AT-LAW  
818 Spitzer Building,  
TOLEDO, OHIO.  
Home Phone 1428.

### JOHN ZURFLUH PRACTICAL WATCHMAKER AND JEWELER

Dealer in  
Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Spectacles.  
906 Monroe St. Toledo, O.  
Near Michigan Street.  
Special care will be taken with the repair of all kinds of Watches, Clocks and Jewelry.

### MRS. EMCH IS AWARDED \$1,000 IN DAMAGE SUIT

Mrs. Harriet W. Emch was granted \$1,000 judgment for the death of her husband, George W. Emch, by jury yesterday in Judge Ritchie's court in her \$15,000 suit brought against the Pennsylvania Railroad Co.

Emch, conductor and brakeman for the defendant company, was injured while unloading heavy packages from the train, according to the petition. The injuries are said to have resulted in his death several months later.

### COURT HOUSE NEWS

#### Probate Court.

The will of Sarah J. Heath has been admitted to probate.

Fourth partial account filed by A. A. Brown the guardian of Albert Brown et al.

Inventory and appraisal filed by William Herman the administrator of estate of Clifton Hathaway—also petition to sell real estate filed for probate.

Petition to complete contract for purchase of lands filed by Henry J. Rudolph, executor vs. The Commercial Bank & Savings Company et al. Petition to complete contract for purchase of lands filed by Henry J. Rudolph, executor vs. Albert L. Thomas, et al—also petition vs. Floyd L. Bossler.

George Rife has been appointed the administrator of the estate of Sarah Eisenhour.

The fourth partial account filed by A. A. Brown, the guardian of Albert Brown, et al.

Final account filed by William Ault, the administrator of the estate of Marguerite Ault.

Inventory and appraisal filed by William Herman, the administrator of the estate of Clifton Hathaway, and petition to sell real estate filed.

George Rife has been appointed the administrator of the estate of Sarah Eisenhour.

First partial account filed by H. J. Sears, the guardian of Emma E. Kelley.

Determination of inheritance tax in estate of Mary Frusher; none found due.

Nearing inheritance tax of Lottie Dunipace estate; certified to auditor \$92.60.

Four petitions to complete contracts for purchases of lands filed by Henry J. Rudolph, executor of will of Clarence Otter vs. Allen Lein et al.; Mary Belle Morris, et al.; A. R. Campbell, et al.; Floyd L. Bossler, et al. Order for citation to issue to Sadie Turner, the guardian of Rose Larry, a lunatic, to file account.

Application for appointment of guardian of William Parkins and guardian ordered to be appointed.

Inventory and appraisal filed by Fred Seiling and Charles Hufford, the administrators of the estate of Conrad Seiling.

Petition to complete contract for purchase of lands filed by Henry J. Rudolph, executor vs. L. C. Gerdeman et al, also petition against Robert Place, et al.

Amount of inheritance tax certified to county auditor in the estate of Mary Frusher, deceased, at \$34.70.

#### Marriage Licenses.

Joseph B. Kerr, 33; oil worker, Drumright, Oklahoma, and Jessie P. Crawford, 22, Rudolph. Squire Nearing.

Victor O. Weidler, 33, minister, Highspier, Pa., and Dora H. Houskeeper, 35, Bowling Green. Rev. Powell.

George F. Adams, 51, farmer, Jerry City, and Pearl Ellsworth, 42, Jerry City.

John B. Stewart, 22, merchant, West Millgrove, and Vera N. Lewis, 18, press feeder, Bradner. Rev. Fink.

Fred Meeker, 22, farmer, Cygnet, and Kate Echelbarger, 20, Jerry City. Rev. Frankbener.

Charley Marriott, 32, wheel-truer, Perryburg, and Louise Gilders, 27, forelady, Perryburg. Rev. Spybey.

Henry A. Eilert, 23, farmer, Dunbridge, and Idah L. Moritz, 27, Dunbridge. Rev. R. Otto.

#### Common Pleas Entries.

William H. Baker vs. Elam Henry et al, leave to publish for unknown heirs.

Citizens Banking Co. vs. Nathan N. Gorsuch et al, finding for plaintiff; motion for new trial overruled; exceptions; receiver ordered to pay; exceptions.

Laura E. Knisely vs. Harold Knisely, temporary alimony of \$5 per week and custody of child granted plaintiff until further order of court, \$25 allowed plaintiff's attorney.

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### SCHOOL NOTES

P. H. S. added another victory to its string Friday night when they defeated the Waterville boys by a score of 54 to 17.

The two teams took the floor apparently evenly matched. Perryburg scored in the first minute of play, but Waterville came back strong and scored six points before P. H. S. got started. P. H. S. started its famous team work and Waterville could not hope to stop them then. Sheldrick starred for P. H. S., dropping the ball for baskets from all angles of the floor. Thornton led in the scoring, making 20 points. Sheldrick made 18, Ballentyne 12 and Wiser 6.

The game was rough and players were ruled out. Dibling, who was playing a great game, was taken out. Sutter and Werns took his place. Wiser, Dibling and Sutter played a fine game at guard, keeping their opponents down to a low score. This is the first time that Waterville has been beaten on their floor for two years.

The P. H. S. girls had their luck with them and defeated the Waterville girls by a score of 14 to 11. Eleanor Lowmsbury led in the scoring for P. H. S. In the first half Waterville played hard and then led by one point, but P. H. S. came back strong in the final period and ran the score three points to the good.

The town team was not lucky and was defeated by Waterville 25 to 11. The game was rough and the slippery floor hindered them from playing at their best.

Next Friday night all three Waterville teams will come here to play. Be sure to come and see some good games. Sheldrick, P. H. S. player, is absent on account of illness and will not be able to play Friday. Wiser will be shifted to center and Sutter will probably play guard in Wiser's place. Waterville will have the regular lineup for Friday night and expects to give P. H. S. a regular fight.

Miss Clay is absent today with a case of laryngitis.

The Juniors welcome the entrance of Miss Mable Reneger from Genoa High School into their class.

#### Grades.

Miss Braun is absent today on account of illness. Miss Eloise Simons is teaching in her place.

#### Second Grade.

Mark Cobb and Frank Wiser attended the entire first semester without any absence.

#### Third Grade.

Jack McCaslin, Philip Sutter, Mary Ford and Harlan Kille have returned after an absence of two or more weeks.

In the weekly spelling match the girls were winners.

Lyndall Yoder, Ruby Tippen, Gordon Chappell, Clarissa Goeke, Martha Fahrre, Evelyn Loomis, are doing very good work in all of their studies.

#### Fourth Grade.

Our attendance has been very low during the past month owing to the measles. We are hoping for a full roll call next week.

In our arithmetic contest on Friday Side No. 1 won, 19 to 11. This Friday the boys will score against the girls.

#### Fifth Grade.

Elwood Finch has been absent for several days on account of illness.

#### Sixth Grade.

On Friday last Side No. 1, the losing side in spelling and arithmetic for the past month, entertained Side No. 2, the winning side, with an original play, "The Old-Time District School." Alice Budd, Marian Beverly, Clarence Dart and Bernice Roberts have returned to school after an illness of several days.

#### Eighth Grade.

As a result of the first semester's test the pupils who made the five highest records in the Eighth Grade rank are named Raphael McCormick, Margaret Hampton, Orville Schaller, Marcel Emch and Alvin Sprague.

The non-appearance of Haskins for two scheduled games has proven rather disappointing to the boys' basketball team. They will hesitate to advertise a third time.

We regret the loss of Hazel Loomis as a member of the class. She is now in Bowling Green.

### THANKS THE PUBLIC.

I wish to express to the citizens of Perryburg township my sincere appreciation of the manner in which they aided me in taking the enumeration for the fourteenth census.

THOMAS H. SHELDRICK,  
Enumerator North Perryburg Twp.

DeLaval Service Day, February 6th. Bigley's Hardware, Maumee, Ohio.

### CHURCH NOTES

#### FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. W. H. Pheley, Minister

Services for Sunday, February 8:  
Sunday school at 9:30. General lesson, "Peter at Lydda and Joppa," Acts 9:32-43. W. H. Roose, superintendent.

Morning worship and sermon at 7:30. Dr. Pheley will speak on "Adventures in Stewardship." There will be no evening service.

Junior C. E. meeting at 2:30. Topic, "Making a Wise Choice," 1 Kings 18:21, 36-39.

Senior Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:30. Topic, "A Worth-While Life," Ps. 37:18-40.

Prayer and praise service, Thursday evening at 7:30. Subject for consideration, "Can We Speak With the Dead?"

The Choral Union will practice Saturday evening at 7:30. Especially important. New music has arrived. Mrs. Lackens desires the presence of every member.

#### GRACE EVANGELICAL.

Orin D. Swank, Pastor.

Services for Sunday, February 8th.  
Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Lesson study: "Peter at Lydda and Joppa," Acts 9:42-43.

The morning service will be given over to the reports from the conference and convention at Ashland and will consist largely of the launching of the Forward Movement.

The Junior Choir will meet at 3 o'clock for practice.

Mr. George Twining will lead the Young People's Alliance at 6:30. Subject for discussion: "A Worth-While Life." Psalm 37:18-40.

The evening service will be the beginning of revival services which will run throughout the week.

The Thursday evening prayer meeting should have a large attendance this week in preparation for the meetings next week.

The Young People's Alliance will hold the monthly business meeting at the home of Harry Spreng at Fort Meigs on Friday evening.

#### Legion Meeting.

On Tuesday evening, February 10th, regular meeting night of Perryburg Post No. 28 of the American Legion, there will be special amusement for those who attend as arrangements have been made for a boxing match between local amateurs, together with other events and a smoker.

Come and enjoy it!

#### Unintentionally Omitted

In the item in last week's issue containing the names of the newly installed officers of Ivy Leaf Rebekah Lodge the name of Evelyn Ryder as Warden was omitted. The omission was unintentional and was caused by the rush incident of putting the paper to press.

#### W. O. W. Installation.

On account of the inclemency of the weather the W. O. W. postponed their installation until Feb. 7th 1920 at 8 o'clock p. m. Matters of importance will be taken up. Refreshments. M. B. Cook. C. C.

#### THE MOZART CLUB.

The Mozart Club will meet at the home of Alma Lindemeir, February 7th. Valentine day being very near, we will celebrate by having a Valentine box, in which every member should take part.

Everyone be present at 2:30 p. m. Subject: Great Teachers and Writers of Music Used in Piano Study. Song, P. Lincoln, Beloved. In charge of program, Ruby Byers. Hostess: Alma Lindemeir.

#### Leonardo's Handwriting.

In one account of the life of Leonardo da Vinci we read a curious story about the great man's handwriting. It seems that it resembled characters in Hebrew or Arabic, for he used his left hand and wrote from right to left of the page, instead of from left to right, as we do today. One of Da Vinci's letters could, therefore, only be read by holding it up before a mirror.

I have moved my Law office from the Hillabrand building on Front street to the Muenger Block on Louisiana Avenue, second floor. F. E. BOWERS.

### FAMOUS "CHECKERS"

#### NOW A BIG FILM

Special Picture Booked for Perryburg  
Saturday and Sunday.

William Fox will present "Checkers," the famous racing play, as a motion picture at the Auditorium theater for a run of two days, starting Saturday, February 7th. Advance reports promise a picture of great presentation, superbly executed. Richard Stanton directed the work.



As a stage play "Checkers" was a classic. There are many big spectacular scenes in the film, such as an actual race at one of the large tracks, a thrilling train wreck in which a freight car containing several persons and a race horse topples into a river, and a sensational scene in New York's Chinatown.

#### Attending Conference

Rev. O. D. Swank left Monday for a brief visit with his parents at Butler, O., and to attend the ministerial conference and laymen's convention at Ashland. Messrs. George Twining, Robert Stickles and Albert Fahrre are the lay representatives from Grace church and George Neitz and Henry Swartz from the Hobart church.

#### Did the Census Man Get You?

Census Enumerator John C. Jones asserts that he is confident that he has recorded every resident of Perryburg, but in case any have been missed they are asked to send their names in to any official of the Civic Association. As this census stands for 10 years we would have Perryburg record as many as really possible.

## TAKE MUCH INTEREST IN BUILDING ASSOC'N

Meeting Well Attended With  
Prospects of Early Organization in View.

The building and loan meeting of last Friday night was well attended and much interest was manifested in the project.

The address on building and loan associations by Mr. K. D. Haymaker, of Defiance, was very instructive and interesting and educational and it was to be regretted that every man in town did not hear his talk. As a result of this meeting a committee consisting of John H. Wilson, Dr. H. R. Roether, A. L. Cocanour, Geo. J. Munger and E. L. Clay were appointed to investigate more thoroughly and report at the next meeting of the Civic Association, which will be held on Thursday evening, February 12.


If enough interest is shown at this meeting by a sufficient number of people in town a building and loan association for Perryburg will probably be organized. But it is a big job and is not a one-man job, nor a job for a committee, but will need the united effort of a large number of citizens and every one who is interested should get busy at once and lend their services and co-operation. Come out to the next civic meeting if you are interested, whether you are a member of the civic or not. Don't wait till the opportunity is past but act now. It is up to the citizens of Perryburg.

#### Saw His Shadow

There can be no doubt that, if the ground hog was out Monday, he saw his shadow, and according to the belief of some we are sure to have six weeks more of winter. But the ground hog's prestige as a weather prophet is somewhat overshadowed this year by the actions of the wild geese, for Sandusky reports a large flock flying north over the lake, last Friday afternoon, and according to lake sailors, this is a sure sign of an early spring. Robins, also said to be a forerunner of spring, have been reported at Fremont and Norwalk. You can take your choice.

#### Renews 28th Time

Mrs. M. M. Hollenbeck, who lives at Springfield, Mo., in sending \$1.50 to the Journal, notes the fact that it is the 28th time she has renewed her subscription. One of the chief pleasures in conducting a newspaper comes from having a goodly number who each year renew promptly with some kind word of appreciation of our efforts.



## LEAP YEAR

Leap year has given us an extra day this year.

When 1920 closes we should be richer by the proceeds of a day's labor.

Right now in February, the month to which the extra day is allotted, we should see that the added day's pay is saved.

If you have not yet secured one of our savings books, now is a good time to do so.

**The Citizens Banking Company**  
PERRYSBURG, OHIO.

CAPITAL STOCK \$50,000.00  
SURPLUS \$30,000.00

OLDEST BANK IN WOOD COUNTY  
ESTABLISHED IN 1879